

IN THE CLAIMS

Claims 1-7 are presented below, with claims 1-7 pending. As shown below, claims 1 and 5 have been amended.

1. (Currently Amended) A digital broadcast reception device comprising:

reception means for receiving digital broadcasting;

storage means for storing picture data of digital broadcasting, received by said reception means, in terms of a frame of a picture demonstrated on a picture display device;

printing data creating means for acquiring the picture data stored in said storage means for preparing data for printing based on said picture data;

printing command input means for receiving printing commands; and

control means for controlling the writing operation in said storage means, wherein when said printing command input means receives a printing command to print a picture demonstrated on said picture display device, said control means causes no new picture data to be written to said storage means during the time between when said printing command input means receives said printing command and when ~~until~~ printing is complete.

2. (Previously Presented) The digital broadcast reception device according to claim 1, further comprising:

printing means for printing a picture for demonstration on said picture display device, based on the data for printing prepared by said printing data creating means;

said printing means being connected to said printing data creating means over an internal bus.

3. (Previously Presented) The digital broadcast reception device according to claim 2, wherein:

when a picture demonstrated on said picture display device is printed by said printing means, next picture data will not be written in said storage means.

4. (Original) The digital broadcast reception device according to claim 2 wherein

said printing data creating means effects resolution conversion on picture data acquired from said storage means depending on the demonstrating density of said picture display device and on the printing density of said printing means.

5. (Currently Amended) A picture printing method comprising:

storing received digital broadcast picture data in terms of a frame of a picture demonstrated on a picture display device;

receiving a printing command to print a picture demonstrated on said picture display device;

6 preserving the stored picture data by not storing any new picture data during the time between when said printing command is received and when ~~until~~ printing is complete; and

acquiring the stored picture data to prepare data for printing based on the acquired picture data; and

printing a picture for demonstration on said picture display device based on said data for printing.

6. (Previously Presented) The picture printing method according to claim 5, wherein
when a picture demonstrated on said picture display device is printed, next picture data
will not be stored.

7. (Previously Presented) The picture printing method according to claim 5 wherein
resolution conversion on said acquired picture data is performed depending on the
demonstrating density of said picture display device and on the printing density in printing a
picture demonstrated on the picture display device.